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## **Boating Advisory issued for Lewis and Clark Lake**

The U. S. Army Corps of Engineers today issued a boating advisory for all vessels on Lewis and Clark Lake. This advisory is due to the large amount of debris coming into Lewis and Clark Lake from the increased outflows from Ft. Randall Dam and higher lake levels.

Boaters need to use extreme caution and be on the lookout for floating logs and other debris on the lake. This debris could appear at any location on the lake and could be submerged. All vessels on the lake should be operated at reduced speeds and operators should be vigilant about watching for debris. Life jackets should be worn by all persons in the vessel, including the operator.

This boating advisory is issued under the authority of 33 CFR Part 327.12a. It is a precautionary restriction and notice relating to safety for the protection of life and property. It is not a prohibition on the use of vessels on Lewis and Clark Lake.

Please boat safely.

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